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October 6, 2008

Jon D. Grossman, Esq.
Dickstein Shapiro LLP
1825 Eye Street NW
Washington, DC 20006-5403

Re: Estate of David L. Maatman
Our File No. EA02155

Dear Mr. Grossman:


We are in receipt of your correspondence dated October 1, 2008, with enclosures pertaining to the estate of David L. Maatman. We have retrieved our file from storage.

Mr. Maatman's wife, Gail B. Maatman, was appointed Special Administrator in 1992.

In response to your request, we enclose a certified copy of Letters of Special Administration and a court conformed copy of the Ex Parte Order for Probate Appointing Special Administrator.

Sincerely,

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By: 
Victor J. Ferrette

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Enclosure

Exhibit E

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name and Address): Victor J. Ferrette (State Bar 89252) FERRETTE & SLATER, A.L.C. (619) 487-9596 11440 West Bernardo Court, Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92127 ATTORNEY FOR (Name): Gail B. Maatman SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO STREET ADDRESS: 1501-55 Sixth Avenue MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: San Diego, CA 92101-1946 BRANCH NAME: ESTATE OF (NAME): DAVID L. MAATMAN DECEDENT	TELEPHONE NO.: FOR COURT USE ONLY <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; margin: 10px 0;">F L E D</div> <div style="font-size: 0.8em; margin: 0 0 10px 0;">KENNETH E. MARTONE Clerk of the Superior Court</div> <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 0 0 10px 0;">JUN 11 1992</div> By: _____, Deputy Family Court CASE NUMBER: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; margin-top: 10px;">157439</div>
<div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin-bottom: 5px;">LETTERS</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> TESTAMENTARY <input type="checkbox"/> OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> OF ADMINISTRATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION </div> </div>	

LETTERS

1. ☐ The last will of the decedent named above having been proved, the court appoints (name):
- a. ☐ Executor
 b. ☐ Administrator with will annexed
2. ☒ The court appoints (name):
- GAIL B. MAATMAN**
- a. ☐ Administrator of the decedent's estate
 b. ☒ Special administrator of decedent's estate
- (1) ☒ with the special powers specified in the Order for Probate
 (2) ☐ with the powers of a general administrator
3. ☐ The personal representative is authorized to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act ☐ with full authority ☐ with limited authority (no authority, without court supervision, to (1) sell or exchange real property or (2) grant an option to purchase real property or (3) borrow money with the loan secured by an encumbrance upon real property).

WITNESS, clerk of the court, with seal of the court affixed.

Date: **JUN 1 1 1992**Clerk, by **D. COLLINS**, Deputy

(SEAL)

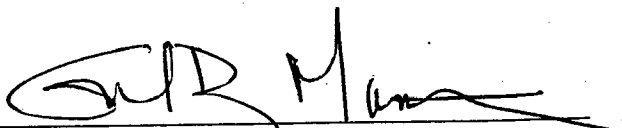
AFFIRMATION

1. ☐ PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR: No affirmation required (Prob. Code, § 1140(b)).
2. ☒ INDIVIDUAL: I solemnly affirm that I will perform the duties of personal representative according to law.
3. ☐ INSTITUTIONAL FIDUCIARY (name):

I solemnly affirm that the institution will perform the duties of personal representative according to law.

I make this affirmation for myself as an individual and on behalf of the institution as an officer.
 (Name and title):

4. Executed on (date): **June 10, 1992**
 at (place): **Hollidaysburg, Pennsylvania**


 (SIGNATURE)

CERTIFICATION

I certify that this document is a correct copy of the original on file in my office and the letters issued the personal representative appointed above have not been revoked, annulled, or set aside, and are still in full force and effect.

Date: **JUN 1 1 1992**

Clerk, by

D. COLLINS

(SEAL)

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO STREET ADDRESS: 1501-55 Sixth Avenue MAILING ADDRESS: CITY AND ZIP CODE: San Diego, CA 92127 BRANCH NAME:	
ESTATE OF (NAME): <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">DAVID L. MAATMAN</div> <div style="text-align: right; font-weight: bold;">DECEDENT</div>	
<div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">EX PARTE ORDER FOR PROBATE</div> ORDER <input type="checkbox"/> Executor APPOINTING <input type="checkbox"/> Administrator with Will Annexed <input type="checkbox"/> Administrator <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Special Administrator <input type="checkbox"/> Order Authorizing Independent Administration of Estate <input type="checkbox"/> with full authority <input type="checkbox"/> with limited authority	CASE NUMBER: <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold; text-align: center;">157439</div>

1. Date of hearing: 6/11/92 Time: 3:30 p.m. Dept/Rm: F-5 Judge: Daniel J. Tobin

THE COURT FINDS

2. a. All notices required by law have been given.
 b. Decedent died on (date): March 17, 1990
 (1) ☒ a resident of the California county named above
 (2) ☐ a nonresident of California and left an estate in the county named above
 c. Decedent died
 (1) ☒ intestate
 (2) ☐ testate and decedent's will dated: _____
 and each codicil dated: _____
 was admitted to probate by Minute Order on (date): _____

THE COURT ORDERS

3. (Name): GAIL B. MAATMAN

is appointed **personal representative**:

- a. ☐ Executor of the decedent's will
 b. ☐ Administrator with will annexed
 c. ☐ Administrator

d. ☒ Special Administrator

- (1) ☐ with general powers
 (2) ☒ with special powers as specified in Attachment 3d
 (3) ☒ without notice of hearing

and letters shall issue on qualification.

4. a. ☐ Full authority is granted to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act.
 b. ☐ Limited authority is granted to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act (there is no authority, without court supervision, to (1) sell or exchange real property or (2) grant an option to purchase real property or (3) borrow money with the loan secured by an encumbrance upon real property).
5. a. ☒ Bond is not required.
 b. ☐ Bond is fixed at: \$ _____ to be furnished by an authorized surety company or as otherwise provided by law.
 c. ☐ Deposits of: \$ _____ are ordered to be placed in a blocked account at (specify institution and location): _____
 and receipts shall be filed. No withdrawals shall be made without a court order.

6. ☐ (Name): _____ is appointed probate referee.

Date: _____

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

7. ☒ Number of pages attached: 1

☒ Signature follows last attachment.

Estate of DAVID L. MAATMAN

EX PARTE ORDER APPOINTING
SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR

ATTACHMENT 3d

Petitioner is authorized to take the following actions.

Decedent was a co-inventor of certain inventions during his lifetime. Such inventions are characterized as follows: certain new and useful improvements in MULTI-MEDIA SEARCH SYSTEM U.S. Application Serial No. 07/426,917; ICONS FOR A COMPUTER PROGRAM OR THE LIKE U.S. Application Serial No. 07/426,688; ICONS FOR ARTICLES OR THE LIKE U.S. Application Serial No. 07/426,702; ICONS FOR PROMPT LINES OR THE LIKE U.S. Application Serial No. 07/426,703; AND MAIN MENU ICONS OR THE LIKE U.S. Application Serial No. 07/426,701, set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States.

Decedent, as an assignor, entered into an Assignment (a copy of which is attached hereto) with Encyclopedia Britannica, Inc., to sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Encyclopedia Britannica, Inc., his entire rights, titles and interests in and to the above mentioned inventions, applications for Letters Patent, and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said applications, or reissues or extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property.

Decedent further agreed to sign all papers and documents necessary or required to be done for the procurement, maintenance, enforcement and defense of Letters Patent for said inventions.

A continuation-in-part patent application with respect to such inventions must be filed with the U.S. Patent Office on or before June 15, 1992. The U.S. Patent Office requires that the legal representative of the deceased inventor execute certain assignments, declarations and oaths associated with such application.

Petitioner is hereby authorized to execute any and all assignments, oaths and declarations associated with such application regarding the above referenced inventions.

JUN 1 1 1992

JUDGE DANIEL J. TOBIN

Dated: _____

The foregoing instrument is a full, true and correct copy of the original on file in this office.

JUN 1 1 1992

Attest: _____

KENNETH E. MARTONE

Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California,
in and for the County of San Diego

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Deputy

D. COLLINS